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Council Minutes of M.D. Battle River

The council of the municipal district of Battle River, No. 423, met in the Municipal Office at Irma, Alberta, on Thursday, January 11th, 1934, with full council present, the reeve presiding.

Moved by Mr. Burton that the minutes of December 14th, 1933, be accepted as read. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakley that the report of Mr. Burton and the secretary re Bronson and the S.W. 4-44-9-w4, be accepted. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that the report of E. Sarason be accepted. Crd. Moved by Mr. Burton that the secretary reply to letter from the Royal Alexandra Hospital re E. Sarason, that this Municipal District sent this party to Edmonton for examination only asking if this party is still a patient of that hospital as this Municipal District through medical advice understand that Sarason could be treated at Wainwright hospital. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakley that this council sell to P. Voros the S.W. 4-45-8-w4 for \$125.00 cash, payable February 8, 1934. Motion lost.

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that this Municipal District sell to P. Voros the S.W. 4-44-8-w4 for \$150.00, terms as follows: \$75.00 cash, \$75.00 Dec. 1st, 1934, at 6 1-2 per cent interest. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Dalton that this Municipal District sell to K. R. Dawson the S.W. 4-44-9-w4 for \$200.00, the terms as follows: \$50.00 cash, \$50.00 Dec. 1st, 1934, \$50.00 Dec. 1st, 1935, \$50.00 Dec. 1st, 1936 with 6 1-2 per cent on the unpaid principal. Crd.

Reeve declared tax sale as adjourned from December 14th, 1933, open, and the following parcels of land were offered for sale—N.W. 12-45-7-w4; S.W. 12-45-7-w4; with no bids to the extent of the upset price received, sale was declared closed on motion of Mr. Vevey. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakley that this council extend the time for the sale of oats assigned to the M.D. of Battle River re McGillis estate, \$3.52, 16-45-8-w4, until February 8, 1934. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Dalton that this Municipal District sell to J. J. Wakefield the S.W. 34-45-7-w4, for \$125; terms as follows: \$40.00 cash, \$40.00 Dec. 1st, 1934, \$45.00 Dec. 1st, 1935, with interest at 6 1-2 per cent on the unpaid principal. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that the secretary write Messrs. Ben and Roy Goodkey re Note for \$70.00 funeral expenses due October 1st, 1933, that this council now demands the interest due on said note by February 8, 1934, on failing the municipal district will take action to recover full amount due. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that the secretary write Mr. Clapp re N.W. 44-8-w4, that unless he pays the 1932-1933 taxes on said land as agreed upon by February 8, 1934, this Municipal District will be forced to take action. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Dalton that Mr. Smallwood and Mr. Burton be appointed as a committee to interview Mr. Purvis for the purpose of obtaining a chattel mortgage on stock of V. Peterson in lieu of hospitalization disbursements. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Dalton that this council reject the offer from C. F. Newell to a private bid for the W. 1-2 12-45-7-w4, for \$5,000.00 cash, as this land is valued at \$11,200.00, and the secretary be instructed to return to C. F. Newell his cheque with the information why this offer has been rejected. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakley that the statement for December, 1933, be passed as presented. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Archibald that the following bills be passed and paid: Chas. Wilbraham, insurance, office and fixtures \$10.29 Chas. Wilbraham, salary, Dec.

1933	100.00
Petty cash	25.00
Mothers' Allowance, Nov. 1933	56.00
Irma Times, papers, Dec. 1933	25.00
Pongo, Blacksmith, Div. 5	3.20
T. Sanders, labor, Div. 5	2.80
Wainwright Mun. Hospital, re L. Peterson	6.00
Wainwright Mun. Hospital, maternity, re Abernethy	16.00
Irma Trading Co., relief, Mrs. N. Fliginshau	12.90
Sydenham S.D., coll.	39.04
Town of Wainwright, coll.	433.39
Irma S.D. collections coll.	20.14
Comm. retd.	105.78
Hail Insurance Bd., Coll.	
December	
Dept. of Mun. Affairs, coll. supp. revenue	1,207.61
Dept. of Mun. Affairs, coll.	64.42
Wild Land	

Moved by Mr. Smallwood that the secretary insert in the Irma Times a list of lands that the municipal district have title also that reasonable offers will be accepted at any council meeting. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Blakley that the secretary write the department of municipal affairs seed grain branch, re the N.W. 6-45-7-w4, asking if a sale is made of this land that they accept the proceeds less the amount of taxes due this municipal district and release the seed grain lien. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that the secretary write the department of municipal affairs asking what steps this municipal district can take regarding the dangerous condition of the telephone lines in this municipality. Crd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that council adjourn. Crd.

CHAS. WILBRAHAM,
Secretary-Treasurer, Municipal District of Battle River, No. 423, Irma, Alberta.

AVONGLEN NOTES

The ladies of Avonglen district formed a new local of the U.F.W.A. on December 15th, 1933, with Mrs. I. Shotts as president; Mrs. Carrington, vice-president, and Mrs. R. D. Allen, secretary-treasurer. On January 11th, 1934, the local held the first regular meeting at the home of Mrs. S. M. New with a goodly number of members and guests; 12 members signed the roll. The name being sent to head office as first choice is "Harmony Local." Mrs. Ballentine, Mrs. Thomson and Mrs. Caesar, members of Avondale local, were guests at the meeting and helped to make an enjoyable afternoon. Mrs. Prothero, in her usual way contributed with several violin solos which are always an enjoyable feature at these meetings. Mrs. Shotts, Mrs. Vallee and Mrs. New are the committee to draft a program for the first six months.

Mrs. Lennes Myers, Mrs. Alice Dalton and little Dorothy, Mrs. G. Whiteley, the Misses Annie and Doris Ford, were also welcome guests. The local decided to hold their meetings on the second Thursday of each month. The February meeting being at the home of Mrs. I. Shotts on Thursday, February 8th.

The meeting closed by the singing of "Auld Lang Syne."

Mrs. New, always the delightful hostess, convinced all who had not previously known that she has not lost any of her ability in this line, and a pleasant hour was spent over the teasups.

Avondale U.F.W.A. are holding their January meeting on Thursday, January 18th, at the home of Mrs. Ballentine.

Miss Florence Allen spent the week end at the Coulthart home.

The annual meeting of the Avonglen school resulted in Buster Haun being elected as trustee in the place of Mr. Frank Ford.

The rink at S. M. New's seems to be a popular feature just now. Mrs. Wm. Dalton and daughter, Dorothy, are visiting with the Whiteley family; Mrs. Marie Babcock is keeping house in Mrs. Dalton's absence, for her uncle, Mr. Wm. Dalton.

Earle Carrington and Frank Carter are sponsoring a masquerade dance at Avonglen school on February 9th, 1934.

WANTED—HAY BALING TO DO by the undersigned. For any further particulars, see J. H. PETERSON, Irma, Alta.

Purpose and Scope of Women's Christian T. U.

In the official "declaration of principles," of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, published years ago, is found this statement:

"We declare our purpose to educate the young; to form a better public sentiment; to reform, so far as possible by religious, physical and scientific means, the drinking classes, to seek the transforming power of divine grace for ourselves and all for whom we work, that they and we may wilfully transcend no law of pure and wholesome living; and finally we pledge ourselves to labor and to pray that all these principles, founded upon the gospel of Christ, may be worked out into the customs of society and the laws of the land."

Loyal, earnest, full of zeal, wholly consecrated to their loving objective, the organizers of this new world-wide movement began their efforts chiefly to combat intemperance—drunkenness with all its attendant sorrows. Results of astounding success crowned their efforts.

The contacts necessitated by the carrying on of their early efforts brought to them recognition of the existence of many factors hitherto unseen.

This opened their eyes to wider fields of needs and possibilities of accomplishment with the realization that many greater or lesser evils were involved in, related to, and interwoven with the liquor traffic, these early white ribboners set themselves the mightier task of developing every avenue of possibility to overcome evil with good.

Recognizing an existing evil meant with them the first step taken toward organizing a department to cope with and eliminate that evil. Hence, we have department after department at the head of each of which is a superintendent who is a specialist in that line, following her vocation with consecrated zeal, developing social hygiene, temperance, eugenics, etc.

To aim for purity—to grow health—to develop peace—to instill into the young spiritual mental and scientific truths re morality, education, law, evangelism, temperance, etc., is to flood the world with light. And these are our methods: keeping ground, thoroughly cultivated abstractions practically all necessity for pulling weeds.

God's blessing has been felt to rest on these human efforts; and gradually the organization work has spread until, from a little band of 20 women, 60 years ago, county, state, and international organizations now stand as living and ever-expanding monuments to The Crusade of 1873.

The W.C.T.U., now a national organization in nearly seventy different countries. And still there is need to go on.

Sir Edgar Sanders, director of the Brewers' Society of Great Britain, has recently made public their attitude by saying, "We want to get the drinking habit instilled into thousands, almost millions of young men who do not at present know the taste of beer."

So long as evil exists in this form on earth, so long is there need to push an organization which has already brought about results effective enough so that all the legions of the liquor traffic have presented a solid front to combat it.

—NANCY ORPHA PARKE.

Tenders Wanted

Separate marked sealed tenders will be received up to January 30th, 1934, by the undersigned for cleaning school barn once a month, for hauling coal by the ton and for delivering 16-inch dry wood by the cord, to be piled in the shed for the year 1934.

J. C. McLEAN,
Secretary, Education Point School, Irma.

Legion Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Irma branch, No. 112, Canadian Legion, B.E.L., will be held on Saturday, January 27th, at 2:30 p.m., in Hedley's hall.

If the weather is very cold or of a stormy nature, it will be postponed until the following Saturday, February 3rd.

All ex-service men are cordially invited to attend.

L. M. ROBERTS,
secretary-treasurer.

United Church L. A. Annual Meeting

The annual meeting and election of officers for the new year was held at the home of Mrs. Osterhaut on Thursday, January 11th. The meeting was well attended and the report of last year's work was given. The amount raised by various means was \$192.80, the outstanding event being the bazaar and supper when something over \$60.00 was realized.

The officers for the coming year read as follows:

President—Mrs. G. A. Tripp.
1st vice president—Mrs. A. H. Locke.
2nd vice president—Mrs. R. D. Smallwood.

Treasurer—Mrs. M. Knudson.
Secretary—Mrs. N. S. Johnson.
Social Convener—Mrs. W. N. Fricke.

Musician—Mrs. J. R. Geeson.
Press reporter—Mrs. E. W. Carter.

A concert including a one-hour play and a goodly number of items from local artists is being planned for Friday evening January 26th to be held in the church. Miss Myrtle Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Bruce Hadlow have charge of the play, while Mrs. N. S. Johnson and Mrs. Locke are taking care of the rest of the program.

It was moved by Mrs. Geeson and seconded by Mrs. Locke that the Aid give twenty dollars to the M. and M. fund.

On motion of Mrs. Smallwood and Mrs. Locke, Mrs. James Fenton was made honorary president in compliment of her twenty-two years work in the Irma Ladies Aid, seven of which was spent as president.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday, February 8th, at the home of Mrs. Johnson.

CRESCENT HILL

The regular meeting of the Crescent Hill U.F.A. held January 8th, was a success both in attendance and interest shown by all. Mr. T. Sanders conducted the meeting in his usual capable manner. Mr. W. T. Steele was selected delegate to the U.F.A. convention being held in Edmonton and given his instructions on the long list of resolutions to be discussed there. This being a joint U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. the meeting was followed by a social evening which included lunch and cards for those who wished to play.

The annual meeting of the Crescent Hill U.F.A. is being held February 12th. Besides the election of officers for the coming year, Mr. W. T. Steele will give his report of the U.F.A. convention. All who are interested are cordially invited. Ladies please bring lunch.

JARROW JOTTINGS

The annual congregational meeting of the Jarrow United Church, was held in the church on Wednesday, January 10. The attendance was good and all the reports were encouraging.

After business session, a social hour was much enjoyed in which games were played. Late in the evening a lunch provided by the Ladies' Aid was greatly appreciated.

Mr. Frank Ham, of Edmonton, superintendent of the Alberta Pacific Elevator, was in town for three days last week looking after the business interests of his company.

Harold Wilton is taking his house in Jarrow apart and is hauling the lumber to his farm.

Tom Lockhart has moved his house to his farm this week. We are sorry to see the town of Jarrow becoming smaller.

The children of United Church Sunday school had a very enjoyable party in the community hall last Saturday afternoon. Games and contests were entered into with much enthusiasm. The children had a real good time.

About 40 people consisting of parents and children sat together to enjoy the good supper provided for the occasion. Much credit must be given to our superintendent, Mrs. J. Waite for the success of the party.

After all, says a careful observer, there is some advantage in being a monkey—nobody tries to make one out of him.

"Why do you prefer red hair for your waitresses," asked a patron of a Vegreville restaurant proprietor. "The red ones are easier to pick out of the butter and soup," he replied.

Gas Line Hockey News

Irma-Holden, Tie, 3-3

The best hockey game yet seen in Irma this winter was played on Tuesday evening, January 16th, when the Irma and Holden teams met, and the final outcome after a hard struggle was a 3-3 tie in overtime play.

From the very beginning the play was close and exciting. Frank Maguire succeeded in getting one shot in past the Holden goalie after sixteen minutes of play, this being the only score in the first period. The struggle kept on all through the second period, Irma working hard to increase their lead and Holden determined to tie the count but neither side were able to tally. Three men were penalized in this period, Hopkins of Holden for one minute; F. Maguire of Irma for one minute, and McRae of Holden for three minutes.

For a time it looked as though the third period would also be scoreless but by the Holden men rushing up the ice with the forwards, carried the puck through to the Irma goal where Watson scored on a pass from Hopkins tying the score one and a half minute before the final bell.

In this period, Hopkins of Holden, received two penalties of one minute each while Lawson and F. Lukens of Irma each received one minute penalty apiece.

It was decided to play overtime to break the tie. The first overtime period was scoreless, Hopkins receiving another one minute penalty. After seven minutes playing in the second overtime period, Hendrickson scored number two for Irma on a pass from Lawson and two minutes later Holden again put on a drive with the result that Menally scored the second counter assisted by Bartsch, tying the score for the second time.

By the time the third overtime period started, excitement among the fans was running high and everyone was cheering on their team with all their might. As in the preceding period Irma talked one more by Hendrickson while Holden followed up with another goal by Watson assisted by A. Black, two minutes before the time was up, leaving the score 3-3 after overtime, thirty minutes.

Some game, eh, what?

There are only three more league games in Irma, one game with each of the teams.

UNITED CHURCH NOTES

The sermon topic for next Sunday is "The Price of Life."

The annual meeting of the official board will be held in the United church on Tuesday January 23rd, at 3 p.m. There is most important business to transact and we are anxious to have a full attendance both from town and country of all members of the board.

The following is an excerpt from The Morning Post, London, Eng., which I pass on—

BISHOP AND OXFORD GROUP

"Movement a Challenge to the World's Leaders"

Dr. Foss Westcott, bishop of Calcutta and Metropolitan of India, before returning to India this week issued a statement, in which he said: "After an experience of three months spent within the glorious fellowship of the Oxford Group, and witnessing the fulfillment of Christ's promise that 'he that believeth on Me the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto the Father.' I feel impelled to give expression to the conviction to which I have been led.

"On all hands at the present time

Irma Trims Tofield Twice

On January 16th, at Tofield and again on the 12th in Irma, the Irma hockey team received the big end of the score, the final count being 4-3 in Tofield and 3-2 in Irma after playing ten minutes overtime.

The game at Irma was fast and clean, neither side scoring in the first period. Frank Maguire made one goal for Irma in the second and R. Maguire scored the second one in the third assisted by F. Lukens. Tofield also rang up a two score before the end of the third period, making it necessary to play overtime.

Lawson for Irma assisted by C. Smallwood made the only goal in the ten minute overtime play pulling Irma in the lead. Referee L. Umpley handled the last two games at Irma.

The Irma hockey club put on a dance in Kiefer's hall after the game last Friday evening where a large crowd thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The usual high class music was supplied by Coulthart's orchestra.

we are witnessing the failure of men by their own wisdom to solve world problems, and yet there is a solution in the counsels of God, which He is waiting and longing to communicate to His servants.

"As one to whom India and its peoples have become very dear through 44 years of happy intercourse, I look eagerly for the true solution of the problem of her future government. Will English and Indian statesmen alike make that full surrender to God which alone can enable them to receive His divine inspiration?"

"It is too much to hope that those who are charged with a duty of solving this difficult problem will get together under conviction that when Christ said 'apart from Me ye can do nothing.' He was proclaiming an abiding truth, and that the condition of the solution of every problem is seeing the vision of what the Father is doing and doing that also.

"For myself these have been weeks of challenge. I have been 28 years a bishop of the church of God, and have kept before me the promises made at the time of my consecration, but it was at the House Party of the Oxford Group Movement at Oxford last July that I realized that one might faithfully endeavor to carry out these promises and yet fall in that which is a fundamental duty, namely, to be a life changer.

"For this supreme duty I saw for myself the need of more complete and detailed surrender of all fears and self-consciousness and a willingness to be guided in all things by the spirit of God.

"I am persuaded that this is the challenge which the Oxford Group Movement is putting up to the world's leaders today, and I am convinced that they will neglect it at their peril."

ALMER MATER NOTES

A meeting of the Merry-makers was held on January 15th, in the school. A whist drive and dance was arranged to take place on January 29th, beginning at 8:30 sharp. There will be first and second prizes given. Admission, 15c each. Ladies please bring lunch.

The Merry-makers regret to announce that the lumber which was stored in their school barn has disappeared. Will the person who has borrowed the said lumber please return same as soon as possible—Thank you.

PACIFIC COAST

WINTER EXCURSIONS

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Responsibility

It has become an almost universal habit to enter a new calendar year light-heartedly, in a spirit of gaiety, with nothing but words of happiness and good cheer upon our lips. And it is well that our greetings to one another on this annual occasion should take the form of good wishes for health, happiness and prosperity. But after the jollity attendant upon the passing of the old year and entry into the new, there should come to most of us as intelligent men and women more serious thoughts and a deeper realization of the significance of a new year.

The tearing off from the calendar of the last monthly sheet of the old year; the opening of the diary of the new year at page one; the changing of the figures of the year from 1933 to 1934,—these should bring home to us a new and greater sense of our individual responsibility in relation to the year upon which we have entered.

Because many of the big problems of the year are beyond our control; because many of the happenings of the year and its trends in this direction or that will develop irrespective of our views or actions, the fact should not be overlooked that the responsibility is ours for the determination and direction of numerous small matters which actually exert a far greater influence in the making or marring of our lives than these other so-called greater things which are beyond our control.

In the event of a great plague or epidemic of disease most of us would at once become alive to our responsibility to safeguard ourselves, our families, and our community from it. But how many of us give the same thought and accept the same responsibility for the day-to-day state of our health? Yet the state of our health, our vigor of mind and body, is a matter that most of us can determine to a large extent for ourselves. Health is the result of our habits and ways of living. It influences our lives possibly more than any other one thing. The responsibility is mainly our own to promote good health or bring on poor health; it is a responsibility that others cannot accept for us.

Again responsibility for our words and actions rests with ourselves. It is our duty to control our tongues, to weigh our words, to direct our actions. What misunderstandings, heart-burnings, pain and sorrow have been caused by a few thoughtless words; how many friendships have been broken and communities thrown into bitter strife because someone failed to recognize their responsibility before they spoke. It is such a simple thing to light a match, but the results of that simple act depend upon the use to which the lighted match is put; whether it is in the hands of a responsible or irresponsible person. It may provide a guide to a lonely wanderer and warmth and comfort and suitably prepared food for him, or it may start a conflagration resulting in the loss of many lives and destruction of much property. Our words, and our individual actions throughout the year, may have like beneficial or disastrous results. The responsibility rests with us.

To these unusual times possibly to a greater extent than in more normal times and under less trying conditions, the responsibility of individuals is increased even in the face of the fact that the State is likewise compelled to assume new and heavier responsibilities. At a time of world-wide unemployment, when thousands of individuals find it impossible to procure a livelihood for themselves as they were formerly quite capable of doing, Governmental performance must make provision for them. But one of the present developments in our individual, community and economic life as a result of this enforced but temporary shifting of responsibility for the provision of the necessities of life for many, is the dissemination of the idea that such a condition should be made more or less permanent; that in the future the individual should assume and exert far less responsibility for his own well-being, and that the State should assume far more responsibility.

Whatever merit, or demerit, there may be in this view which, however, its finding acceptance in various countries under varying names, and under which the individual is losing much of his individuality and being more and more kept by, but at the same time moved about at the will of, the State, one thing does remain true so far as the people of Canada are concerned. The responsibility still rests with them as individuals to study this thing thoroughly and to reach their own conclusions as to whether it is in their own best interests and in the interests of their country; that is, whether such a shifting of responsibility will make for a better, nobler, stronger manhood and womanhood, which, in the final analysis, is the object and end of life.

The measure of a man is how he faces and accepts responsibility. All our education has but one main object,—the preparation of youth for the acceptance and discharge of such responsibilities as life may impose upon them. Placing responsibility upon them has been the salvation of many a person. It has led many away from folly, awakening them to the realities of life, widening their vision, and developing powers they little realized they possessed.

Let us throughout 1934 measure up to our responsibilities, whatever they may be, facing them fearlessly and discharging them courageously and efficiently to the best of our ability.

A. L. Rees, of Swansea, Wales, became the champion grocer of Great Britain when he won the contest organized by the Grocers' Exhibition in London.

Capt. W. C. Perry, aged 85, of Charlton, claims to be the oldest Royal Artillery gunner in England, and his eight sons also have served in the same organization.

A new odor filter is reported to be capable of removing from the air a wide variety of odors.

About 44,000 thunderstorms occur on the earth each day.

Professor (in the middle of a joke): "Have I ever told this one before?"

Class (in chorus): "Yes."

Professor: "Good! You will probably understand it this time."

A woman in Birmingham, England, claims to have a cat which switches off the radio when it gets too loud.

A chemical preparation is being substituted for a hot iron in branding cattle in Germany.

Life is always worth living among people who think life is worth living.

A Tired, Worn Out Woman

Can't Make a Happy Home

There is no happiness in the home when the mother is tired. There is no joy in the never ending household duties. She gets run down and becomes nervous and irritable, has shortness of breath, faint and dizzy, can't sleep, and gets up in the morning feeling as tired as she went to bed, and is downhearted and discouraged.

Milburn's H. & N. Pills will soon convince women it is not necessary to suffer, as they build up the nervous system and bring back the former health and vigor.



Export Of Farm Products

Ham, Bacon, Poultry And Eggs Show Increases

Canada doubled its exports of ham and bacon this year as compared with 1932. The exports of live cattle were over twice as great. The exports of eggs in the shell increased seven-fold. Cheese exports were down.

When the final figures are in, the exports of ham and bacon will total about 75,000,000 pounds of which approximately 70,000,000 went to the United Kingdom. Last year 30,693,400 pounds went to the United Kingdom out of a total of 35,820,400 pounds.

Approximately 52,850 live cattle went from Canada to the United Kingdom this year. About 8,500 head went to other countries or a total of over 61,000 head. Last year 19,935 head went to United Kingdom and 11,898 to other countries, or 28,831 altogether.

The egg exports this year totalled about 2,000,000 dozen. Last year the total was only 272,000 dozen. On the other hand practically no eggs were imported. Some years back Canada used to export over 6,000,000 dozen but at that time about as many eggs were imported as exported.

Canada shipped about 1,000,000 dozen of dressed poultry, mostly turkeys, to the British market for the holiday trade. This was about 100,000 pounds more than last year when the movement was started.

The exports of butter this year exceeded last year's, but there was a marked falling off in cheese.

HOW ONE MAN LOST 19 lbs. FAT

Now Feels Absolutely Fit

A fat man is commonly supposed to be good-humoured, easy-going. But there is many a fat man who finds the going far from easy. The following letter describes one typical instance—

"I began to put on weight this year, and developed stoutness in the stomach which was very ugly. I took Kruschen Salt each morning for a month, and reduced my weight 13 lbs. So I kept on, and have now reduced 19 lbs. altogether. Apart from this it has also relieved me of head-ache, and I feel absolutely fit each morning, ready for a hard day's work."

"Taken every morning, Kruschen effects a perfectly natural clearance of undigested food substances and all excessive watery waste matter. Unless this wastage is regularly expelled Nature will eventually store it up out of the way in the form of ugly fat. Once Kruschen gets into the blood you will soon see that double chin begin to go, and that too prominent abdomen begin to disappear."

Eskimo Goes Modern

Have Had First Labor Strike And Won "Hands Down"

The Eskimo has gone modern. They have had the first labor strike in their history. And they won it.

Out of the vastness of Canada's northland, 300 odd miles within the Arctic circle, comes the unique story of the victory of the diminutive dark-skinned wards of the country. It is the story of the Eskimo organizing labor for the first time and against none other than the famed Royal Canadian Mounted Police and the historic Hudson's Bay Company. By the "moccasin" trail and other means of Arctic travel it reached Ottawa.

Bady needed for coastal Arctic posts, a congregation of police and company supplies was on hand at Aklavik. The usual seasonal pay of \$20 per ton for unloading was offered to the Eskimo. Sensing the exigencies of the situation, the wily "stevedores" sprung a surprise and held an impromptu meeting. They demanded \$25 per ton and refused to compromise. The police and the company capitulated.

Some 20 Eskimo were involved in the strike. The pay went into a "pool" divided equally between them at the end of the navigation season. Credit accounts for the men were established accordingly for supplies at stores of the Hudson's Bay Company.

She—And way should I give you a kiss?
Sailor—Well, I just paid your little brother fifty cents to stay out of the room. I'd like some return on the investment.

In Regent's Park a woman school teacher coaches her class of 40 boys, aged from 9 to 11, in football. She splits-tackles, too.

More than 50 uses for corn-cobs, once waste material, have been found.

"Can you love two girls at once?"
"Yes, sir, immediately!"

Growth Of Language

Constantly Enlarged By Addition Of New Words And Phrases

During the past year the English language has changed and grown, enlarged by the influx of scores of new words, the majority of which will become permanent.

The slang of today will in time become "good English," will find its way into the precincts of authoritative dictionaries and will become an intrinsic part of the language.

Prof. M. W. Wallace, head of the English department of the University of Toronto and principal of University College, drew attention to this fact. Words which have come into being during the past 12 months and now despised by language purists will, in time, take a permanent berth in the language spoken over the greater part of the earth.

Only recently the Oxford dictionary was added to by an appendix which listed words such as gat, gangster and gaga, and Prof. F. Newton Scott in a pamphlet for the Society for Pure English listed words such as blaa, appeaseau, cinch, buck, hootch, bootlegger and wop.

Prof. Wallace stated it would be impossible for a language to remain "pure" as we know it today. Words which were tabooed by purists a century ago are now in common usage, he pointed out.

"The reason people use slang," he added, "is because it gives them an air of being up-to-date and at the same time allows them to express their thoughts without much effort." It was the fact that it required a minimum of effort to express their thoughts in slang that people used it so extensively, he stated.

One slang word—chizzler—was assured of a permanent place in American English at least when President Franklin D. Roosevelt used it recently in an address. It is now regarded a legitimate word.

Although few others have received the presidential boost they are equally assured of being pronounced by posterity. This was the opinion of Prof. Wallace and other English authorities.

Bone Model Of Ship

Beautiful Work On Display In Royal Naval College

One of the most beautiful models of an old-time fighting ship to be found in the world has been put on display in the Royal Naval College at Greenwich, England. It is entirely of bone, and is believed to have been made by one of the French prisoners of war who were held in England. Experts think they fashioned their material from the bones of the meat they were given to eat. The model belongs to Walter Runciman, president of the British Board of Trade. Lieut. George Hunt, curator of the college museum, has just completed repairing and re-rigging it. He used miles of silk twine and 771 ivory blocks and "dead eyes."

Barley Best For Hogs

Experiments conducted by the experimental station at Lacombe show barley to be the best Canadian-grown coarse grain feed for hogs. The conclusion is based on the results obtained in four experiments in which 134 hogs were used.

An ingenious lamp has been devised in Leipzig, Germany, intended to be placed upon graves, which will remain alight throughout the most violent rain or wind storms.

"She is not only rich, but handsome. She has half a million—what would you do if you had such a wife?"

"Nothing."

The United States spends four times as much money on its sports as any other country.

A book on the haggis, popular Scotch food, has just been published.

WHEN YOUR DAUGHTER COMES TO WOMANHOOD

Most girls in their teens need a tonic and regulator. Give your daughter Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for the next few months. Teach her how to guard her health at this critical time. When she is a happy, healthy wife and mother she will thank you.

Sold at all good drug stores.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Two thousand cities and towns in the United States will have new aircraft landing fields, as a project of the Civil Works Administration.

Aesop's frog who tried to puff himself out like an ox, blew up, as the hazards of inflation at that time were not fully understood.

"Did your grandfather live to a green old age?"
"I should say so! He was swindled three times after he was 70."

Here's Quickest, Simplest Way to Stop a Cold



1. Take 2 Aspirin Tablets.
2. Drink full glass of water. Repeat treatment in 2 hours.
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Almost Instant Relief in this Way

The simple method pictured above is the way doctors throughout the world now treat colds.

It is recognized as the QUICK-EST, safest, surest way to treat a cold. For it will check an ordinary cold almost as fast as you caught it.

Ask your doctor about this. And when

you buy, see that you get Aspirin Tablets. Aspirin is the trademark of The Bayer Company, Limited, and the name Bayer in the form of a cross is on each tablet. They dissolve almost instantly. And thus work almost to mitigate the pain you take them. And for a gargle, Aspirin Tablets dissolve so completely they leave no irritating particles. Get a box of 12 tablets or a bottle of 24 or 100 at any drug store.

ASPIRIN TABLETS ARE MADE IN CANADA

DOES NOT HARM THE HEART

Canada's Non-Metallic Minerals

Dominion Is The Leading Producer Of Asbestos

Canada is the leading producer of asbestos, has the largest talc output in the British Empire, and is one of the three mica-producing nations according to the Department of Mines, Ottawa. The Dominion is an exporter of feldspar, gypsum, salt, arsenic, diatomite, and abrasives, and a producer of sodium sulphate, natural and artificial phosphates, magnesite, silica, moulding sands, soapstone, phosphate and many others. Minerals known to occur rather extensively include barite, chromite, sulphur (pyrites), volcanic dust, and garnet. Development of these minerals is largely in the initial stages. To the foregoing should be added structural materials which are generally classed as non-metallic and which include clay, sand and gravel, limestone, granite, and marble. Occurrences of these are abundant in Canada and in the main are of excellent quality.

Germany's Blow At International Confidence Something To Think About

Herr Hitler still speaks of his nation as down-trodden slaves. All that has been done to mitigate the consequences of defeat and humiliation for Germany has counted, it seems, as nothing. The evacuation of the Rhineland was hastened. Foreign military control was abandoned when it might have been continued. Reparations have been wiped out. Germany has been welcomed to the league and raised to the rank of highest honor and influence in its councils. But because all-round disarmament and equality for herself have been promised for a few years hence, not at this moment, this damaging blow at international confidence has been delivered. It is a situation to be dealt with calmly now; but its lesson for the future is written on the face of it.—London Daily Telegraph.

Down at Wheatley the other day a man fended off an attempted hold-up with a newspaper he was carrying in his hand. Now is the time to subscribe. You never know when a newspaper will come in handy, says The Goderich Star.

Mrs. Mary Rees, of Brynhyfryd Swansea, Wales, who was 100 in June died in the little thatched cottage in which she was born.

The modern girl may lack principle, but she draws a lot of interest.

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Lesson For The Future

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COLDS ARE DANGEROUS
Soothe and relieve them build up resistance with
SCOTT'S EMULSION
1933

SCOTT'S EMULSION
RICH IN VITAMINS

OCCASIONAL WIFE
By EDNA ROBB WEBSTER
Author of "Joretta," "Lipstick Girl," Etc.

SYNOPSIS
Camilla Hoyt and Peter Anson young and in love, marry secretly, deciding to live their own lives apart until Peter is able to provide for her. Peter is a young, struggling sculptor trying to win a competition for a scholarship abroad and Camilla is the adopted daughter of a wealthy family. She is not to inherit money when she comes of age and so is studying commercial art in the hope of landing an agency job. Others in the story are Avis Verth, another wealthy girl who is trying to win Peter, Sylvia Todd, Peter's model, and Gus Matson, his former roommate with whom he has quarrelled. At a party at an exclusive club Peter entertains Camilla's guests with impersonations.

(Now Go On With The Story)

CHAPTER XXV.

A brief lull followed Peter's re-summation of his own character, during which Terry busied himself with the mixing of higgaboo.

"Let's go somewhere," Camille announced suddenly. She turned sweetly to Camilla. "Not that your party isn't a riot, darling, but we need new inspiration. Let's drive in to the Madrox and dance. We'll just about make it for the real fun!"

Her suggestion carried unanimously with those who expressed themselves, so there followed a general melee while the girls renewed their make-up and secured wraps, and the boys formed an imposing parade of powerful motor cars to await them. Another dilemma for Peter Anson. Would this evening—or night—never end? It seemed not. It just went on and on, from one alarming predicament to another. If only he might talk with Camilla alone and persuade her to announce their marriage. That would help somewhat, and provide diversion. As it was, being at the mercy of these, he found himself obliged again to share Terry's rumble stool with Avis, who secretly deplored the fact that she hadn't her own car in which to drive alone with Peter. Still, a rumble stool had its advantages, by which she might profit.

The Madrox Club was filled almost to capacity when they arrived, notwithstanding the outstanding depression, but enterprising waiters recognized some of their best patrons in the group, and managed tables for the ten. Jewels blazed in the smoky haze of the room like beacon lights in a sea-fog; laughter sang a high oblique to the crashing notes of heavy china, shuffling feet and the orchestra's accompaniment. Odors of perfumes and cosmetics, food and liquor, tobacco smoke and perspiring dancers mingled like the ingredients of a vicious cocktail that dulled the senses and repelled a fastidious inclination.

The cafe, the cabaret, the speakeasy, all were old institutions, patronized only by their kind. But this elaborate display of artistic effects, ten-thousand-dollar-a-night music,

darling vaudeville entertainment and exorbitant food prices, were millionaires and pauper and crook not only rubbed elbows, but bumped into each other on the dance floor, was the offspring of war's lust and chaos.

The same instincts loosed for mental and spiritual debauchery instead of physical carnage. Yet conscientious promoters will denounce the one with horror and laud the other with display of patriotism and noble sacrifice.

Peter managed at last to dance with Camilla and to say, "Let's get out of here, honey, I know you don't want to come. Can't we take your car and let Terry and Avis ride with someone else?"

"I wish we might. But how can we leave when I am the hostess?"

"It was Camille who wanted to come here. Let her take care of the rest. Tell her that you're not coming back after the next dance. If the others want to leave then, all right. But I've had enough of this, and so have you. Talk about leaving the city to go out to the beach where it's cooler, and then come back to this!"

"I know, but you know how restless they get if they have to stay in one place for long. I never expected to bring them here, and I don't care what mother thinks of me for dropping the party. Shall we go back to the beach where it's cool and quiet?"

It was so they escaped, to stroll up the shore in the moonlight night where only the sound of whispering waves which caressed the sands with gentle fingers, disturbed their peace. Its contrast with the place they had quitted was as unbelievable as it was assuaging.

Peter's weary discontent succumbed to its soothing embrace. "Sometimes," he told Camilla, "I have improved myself for taking you out of that life, but I never shall again. You do not belong there—you belong just with me."

"That is what I have told you many times. It is just your kind of life I want to share, Peter. All of it from the first anxious days of effort and hope and discouragement, to the last years of triumph and reward. Never—no matter how much fame and money you may have—shall we return to this idle waste of riotous living. Wealth may be a blessing as well as a curse."

"It should be," and it will be, for us, Camilla. I was thinking just now of a cottage by the sea—for you and me—with work and happiness to fill our days and nights. A blue sea, under southern skies, where the glimmer of the tropics adds its beauty to romance. Perhaps in Sicily—there is a whole village of artists nestled there at the foot of Mt. Etna. Were you ever in Sicily? I wasn't, but I can imagine it."

"Yes, I think I've seen that same village, when I cruised the Mediterranean with another two years ago. Such quaint picturesque cities and villages as we visited. It would be marvelous to see them again with you, Peter," she mused dreamily. "To drift on Lake Como at dawn or sunset and sing a swan song to dull care, to browse in the little shops on the Ponte Vecchio in Florence where you wonder if you have not wandered back into the Middle Ages, to romance upon the balconies of Valladolid where Cervantes wrote the Don Quixote, to dream in the gardens of Seville!" The soft cadences of her voice mingled with the lulling waves and ceased.

After a long silence, she laughed suddenly over an amusing memory. "I just remembered a Count Bottochi who was on that cruise and gave me a lot of attention."

"There must have been plenty who did that."

"Well, mother was terribly impressed with this particular count, and because I was little more than polite to him, she was in despair. It

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SLUGGISHNESS
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A dose of Beecham's Pills each night. Will keep you smiling, healthy & bright.

was reported that he owned huge estates and that in one country residence there was a different dining room for each day of the week. Imagine what a task that would be, not only to remember what day it was but which room corresponded with the day!

"That's worse than having to turn your clothes inside out every day so it will look as if you had a change," sardonically.

"He was also said to be a heavy gambler at Deauville and Monte Carlo, losing as much as one hundred thousand in one night's play."

"Not half as bad as my losing twenty tonight at bridge. You don't know what a narrow escape that was for me, honey."

"I suspected it."

"I held my breath so long over that game, I almost forgot how to breathe. But aren't you sorry you were not more than polite to the count? Some day, when you are hungry and living with me you will remember those seven dining rooms."

"Not as long as I have the whole world of love with you, a different dining room for every day in the year could tempt me. Oh, Peter, I wish we need not wait to realize our dreams."

He sat up suddenly in the sand. "We're not going to wait. That is just what I wanted to talk to you about tonight. Why not tell this crowd the truth in the morning, even if we can't afford to live together for awhile yet?"

"Peter, that isn't keeping your promise to me!"

"But don't you see how difficult it is, and will be for us? Not only secretly, but we have to dodge all kinds of issues with other people. Please announce our marriage, dear."

"And get myself disowned so you will have to take care of me? No I can't do that. But I promise this: just as soon as I get a position that will pay me enough to live with Rose, you may tell the world I am your wife. Not before!" emphatically.

Peter lay back on the soft white sand again, with a sigh of resignation. "Well, no use to waste time in argument. Only I hope that we can be together soon, for always."

"We shall," she promised, bending down to kiss him. She lay in his arms in the wave-washed silence content in the happiness of the thought that she belonged there. Weariness hushed their voices and the song of the waves accompanied by the breeze, lulled them to sleep, while they awaited the return of the rest of the party. It was dawn when Terry and Avis found them there.

(To Be Continued)

Seals Cut Steps In Ice
Only Way They Can Reach Surface To Breathe
Seals actually cut steps in the perpendicular sides of ice cakes in order to rise from the water for the purpose of breathing. Members of Captain Scott's Antarctic Expedition recorded that the seals, which formerly were supposed to leave the water by leaping, cut steps in the slippery surface with the great canine or eye teeth. As soon as the teeth are placed in position, the head is moved rapidly from side to side until the ice has been cut away sufficiently to afford a footing for the front flippers of the animal. Each step has to be laboriously cut after this fashion until the body is far enough out of the water to be thrust up the rest of the way by a kick of the hind flippers.

One Canadian Member
B.C. University Professor Joins Marine Research Expedition
A marine biological research expedition left Los Angeles, California, for a two months' cruise to equatorial islands. On the itinerary are the Galapagos Islands, including Charles Isle, whence came some stranger reports of the actions of a self-styled "empress," the Baroness Bousquet de Waur, said to be an Austrian exile.

Canada will be represented by Dr. C. M. C. Fraser, professor of zoology of the University of British Columbia.

Only Check Is Court
When Motorists Fail To Realize Responsibility To Public

Operation on tracks, trains escape many of the dangers incident to other wheeled traffic. In railway yards the danger is further lessened by the exclusion of the public. Yet in these yards may be seen placards warning trainmen that the maximum permitted speed is 15 miles an hour. In the streets, which are without the protection afforded the railway yard operations, automobiles travel normally, if not legally, at from 25 to 30 miles an hour. The death rate due to motor traffic is practically accepted as inevitable. Five deaths from diphtheria occasion more concern than fifty from automobile accidents. So far nobody seems either to have been able to do anything about it, or to have made any serious attempt in that direction.

When motorists fail to realize their responsibility to the public, the only check upon them is the courts.

Frequently the courts have appeared averse to treat motor criminals in the manner prescribed by the law. Drunken driving is obviously an offence which cannot be tolerated if there is to be safety on the highways. Yet time and again where the evidence has shown a motorist to have been drunk in charge of car, the charge is reduced or is not visited with the full penalty prescribed by law.

In the latest case, the man who pleaded guilty to drunk driving was a shell-shocked soldier. There is some doubt whether a shell-shocked soldier should drive a car even when sober. There have, too, been cases where juries have considered poor visibility as a sufficient explanation of a fatality. But poor visibility should itself be a sufficient warning to a motorist to enable him to avoid becoming involved in an accident.

To motorists is applicable with especial force the adage that eternal vigilance is the price of safety. The enforcing of that vigilance is the duty of all who feel any sense of shame in the heavy toll of motor fatalities.—Toronto Evening Telegram.

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST
By Aline McChaslin

THE CYCLE
The dead leaves, falling
In spring how gaily
While under hedgerows
Piles many a mound.
Through them wind rustles,
In spring how gaily
Pale winter sunshine
Along them drifts.

So, slowly crumbling
Into decay,
The winter weather
Rots them away.
In spring how gaily
They danced in mirth,
That now are dusty
And dry as earth.

Yet these poor leaves wait
To dust return
In some far springtime
Will glow, will burn
In rose or bay,
Or waving grass.
They will come back when
The long years pass!

To Keep Air Pure
At a cost of £200,000, two of Birmingham's largest electrical generating stations are to be fitted with chimneys 300 feet high equipped at the bases with electro filters, to eliminate the emission of grit and fumes.

• STOMACH COMPLAINT •
Mrs. W. Benton of 415 Simcoe St., London, Ont., says: "Some years ago I used Dr. Pierce's Great Medical Discovery when I was run-down and afeverish, and the gas would press up around my heart. After using it I felt 100% better. Write to Dr. J. C. Riddle, Buffalo, N.Y. for free medical advice."

Presto Pack
Hang it in your kitchen. Pull out one sheet of Waxed Paper at a time.

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The Royal Bank of Canada

General Statement 30th November, 1933

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock Paid up	\$20,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	1,382,484.18
Dividends Unclaimed	821,346.75
Dividend No. 185 (at 5% per annum), payable 1st December, 1933	790,808.80
Deposits not bearing interest	\$128,829,494.46
Deposits bearing interest, including interest accrued to date of statement	456,463,265.41
Balances due to other Banks in Canada	841,496.81
Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	28,318,992.13
Notes of the Bank in circulation	29,349,881.14
Advances under the Finance Act	74,000,000.00
Bills Payable	255,889.91
Liabilities included in the foregoing	87,985.74
Letters of Credit Outstanding	32,852,888.91
	\$727,264,676.44

ASSETS	
Gold and Subsidiary Coin on hand	\$14,117,868.37
Domestic Notes on hand	48,922,334.75
Deposits in the Central Gold Reserve of Canada	12,745.75
United States and other Foreign Currencies	21,713,836.79
Notes of other Canadian Banks	\$1,811,891.42
Cheques on other Banks	15,364,522.80
Balances due by other Banks in Canada	2,816.49
Balances due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	49,746,466.79
Domestic and Provincial Government Securities (not exceeding market value)	64,945,189.10
Canadian Municipal Securities and British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian (not exceeding market value)	106,850,615.53
Railway and Public Securities other than Canadian (not exceeding market value)	24,195,973.90
Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days' Loans in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks and other Securities of a sufficient marketable value to cover)	11,970,905.33
Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days' Loans in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks and other Securities of a sufficient marketable value to cover)	28,771,774.75
Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (less rebate of interest) after making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts	\$214,849,534.56
Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada (less rebate of interest) after making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts	95,217,813.78
Non-Current Loans, after providing for estimated loss	4,932,663.75
Bank Premises at not more than cost, less amounts written off	216,119,392.39
Real Estate other than Bank Premises	17,015,987.83
Real Estate sold but not yet received for	2,424,277.85
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit as per contract	22,852,888.91
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit as per contract	4,238,419.38
Deposit with the Minister for the purposes of the Circulation Fund	1,500,000.00
Other Assets not included in the foregoing	64,635.96
	\$727,264,676.44

NOTE.—The Royal Bank of Canada (France) has been incorporated under the laws of France to conduct the business of the Bank in France, and the assets and liabilities of The Royal Bank of Canada (France) are included in the above General Statement.

H. S. HOLT, President
M. W. WILSON, General Manager

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE
To the Shareholders, The Royal Bank of Canada:
We have examined the Balance Sheet and Assets at 30th November, 1933, with the books and accounts of The Royal Bank of Canada at Head Office and with the certified copies of the various subsidiary accounts and statements of the various branches of the Bank's fiscal year; and during the year we counted the cash and examined the securities at value. We have obtained all the information and explanations that we have required, and in our opinion the Balance Sheet and Assets at 30th November, 1933, are correctly stated, and the true condition of the Bank as at 30th November, 1933, is as shown in the above statement. We have also examined the books and accounts of the Bank for the purpose of ascertaining the true condition of the Bank and to provide reasons which may be considered adequate for future contingencies.

A. B. BROWN, C.A., Auditor
J. C. ROSS & SONS, Auditors
Montreal, Canada, 23rd December, 1933.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 30th November, 1932	\$1,164,754.95
Profits for the year ended 30th November, 1933	5,901,609.23
	\$5,065,854.18

APPROPRIATED AS FOLLOWS:

Dividend No. 184 at 5% per annum	\$875,000.00
Dividend No. 185 at 5% per annum	790,808.80
Dividend No. 186 at 5% per annum	740,000.00
Dividend No. 187 at 5% per annum	740,000.00
Contribution to Officers' Pension Fund	\$2,975,000.00
Appropriation for Bank Premises	200,000.00
Transfer to Reserve Fund	110,000.00
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	1,382,484.18
	\$5,065,854.18

H. S. HOLT, President
M. W. WILSON, General Manager
Montreal, 24th December, 1933.

Little Help For This Week

"Know ye not that ye are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwelleth in you?"—1 Corinthians 3: 16.

Father, replenish with Thy grace This longing heart of mine; Make it Thy quiet dwelling place, Thy sacred inner shrine.

Not man's manifold labors, but 's manifold cares, hinder the presence of God. Whatsoever thou dost hush thyself to thine own feverish vanities, busy thoughts, and cares, in silence seek thy Father's face, and the light of His countenance will stream down upon thee. He will make a secret cell in thy heart, and when thou enterest there thou shalt find Him. And if thou hast found Him there, all shall speak to Him, and He shall speak through all. Outwardly thou mayest be doing the work of thy calling, inwardly if thou commend the work of God thou mayest be with Him in the third Heaven.—E. B. Pusey.

An apple tree in a garden in Cologne, Germany, flowered and bore fruit six times during 1933. A pear tree in the same garden and over the same period has produced fruit four times.

It's for Children's Coughs and Colds

As well as Your Own
Mother, don't worry when the children have a bad cold, for there's always BUCKLE'S MINTURE mixed with equal parts of honey. One pleasant little tin will give immediate relief. Two doses are often all that are needed to see a bad cold.

Buckle's is absolutely safe for the smallest child, but so supremely good that it will banish the toughest colds and coughs, and it's simply wonderful for flu or bronchitis. Refuse substitutes. Buckle's is sold everywhere.

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DENICOTEA Cigarette Holder absorbs the nicotine, pyridine, ammonia and resinous and tarry substances found in tobacco smoke.

Complete holder with refills—\$1.00 postpaid, or from your Druggist or Tobacconist. Dealers wanted everywhere.

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IT actually takes less than 1¢ worth of Magic Baking Powder to make a cake, and you can count on good results every time! No wonder Canada's cookery experts say it doesn't pay to take chances with inferior baking powder. Bake with Magic and be sure!

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"CONTAINS NO ALUM." This statement on every tin is your guarantee that Magic Baking Powder is free from alum or any harmful ingredients.

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Main Street

Dr. Richardson, of Viking, has taken over the dental practice at Irma of Dr. Murray and will from now on visit Irma every Friday where he will continue to work in the rear of the Drug Store.

Mr. Martin Enger was unanimously re-elected to the school board at the annual meeting of Crescent Hill.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morse on Sunday, January 7th, but the little stranger was not strong enough, and passed away Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Morse (nee Lily Sanders) is in the Wainwright hospital and is making satisfactory recovery.

Mr. George Knowles received re-election to the school board at Sunny Brae, taking the office for another term of three years.

The junior girls' choir are making splendid progress under the leadership of Miss York, A.T.C.M., and greatly add to the Sunday evening services. There are twenty girls taking part.

The ratepayers of Education Point school district held their annual meeting on Saturday, January 13th. Altogether it was a very satisfactory meeting. Mr. Alf Johnson, the retiring member of the board, was re-elected for another three-year term.

Mr. Roy Whyte arrived home from the Coast on the flyer last Friday evening.

The first regular meeting of the Irma W.C.T.U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Nancy O. Parke, on Thursday, January 25th, at 3.00 p.m. Everybody welcome.

George Worthing, of Fabyan, was a caller in town Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hockett, of Hardisty, made a visit during the week end to their son, Art.

United Church Sunday School The Sunday school lesson for last Sunday was an important one for all thoughtful Christians. The question of temptation and how to meet it is one that no one can disregard. All our temptations begin in the realm of the mind. It is, therefore, we must guard ourselves. First comes the thought and if it is hostile to our peace we should slay the door of our mind against it. If we fail there, then follow the fatal consequence, for the thought is painted by the imagination in alluring colors, we begin to delight in it and at last we fall. Sooner or later those secret thoughts work their way with the inner life and finally break through to the outward act or deed. Many a moral battle has been lost because the citadel of the mind has not been guarded. Eternal vigilance is the price of safety.

It is often supposed that no real evil is done if the mind is allowed to think evil. No greater mistake can be made. If the habit of the mind has been established in the ways of secret sin, there can be no powerful resistance of the personality when the battle is on. The mind that welcomes evil thoughts is already losing a battle of the future. We must bring every thought into captivity to Christ. "As a man thinketh in his heart so is he," is a saying of the Master, and we may well pray like the Psalmist, "Cleanse Thou me from secret faults."

Legislature Opens

On February 8th The fourth session of the seventh legislature of Alberta will open on Thursday, February 8th, it is announced.

ANGELICAN CHURCH NOTES

A congregational meeting and social evening is to be held in Simmon's hall on Tuesday evening, January 23, at 7 o'clock sharp.

Viking Items

Clifford Hoskins is a visitor in Edmonton this week.

Joe McCafferty is able to be around again after his narrow escape in the gas explosion on December 24th.

Mrs. B. Hilliker and daughter Miss Mary have been guests for a few days at the W. J. Dillane home north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Milne and daughter Miss Lucy were entertained at the W. J. Dillane home this week.

Hugh Little has gone to Wainwright to seek employment in a garage.

Miss Mable Crouse, who is a student at Alberta College, Edmonton, was a recent visitor to her home here.

Robt. Hanson is a delegate to the U.F.A. convention being held in Edmonton this week.

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of the Village of Viking will be held in the town hall on Monday, February 12th, commencing at 7 p.m.

The Lutheran Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Lokken on Thursday, February 21st.

The 1934 sample books of Wall Paper are now on hand at the Furniture Store.

The Anglican Altar Guild wish to kindly thank all those who have subscribed to the Flower fund.—Miss M. E. Richardson.

Mrs. Ed Thompson and sister Miss Holmberg are delegates to the U. F. W. A. convention being held in Edmonton this week.

Percy Main who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the local hospital last Wednesday is reported doing very well and his chances are good for complete recovery.

The regular meeting of the Aurora society will be held Wednesday, January 24th. An interesting address on "Music" will be given by Mr. Ken Hilliker, followed by an important business discussion. All members please plan to be present.

Two rinks from Holden skipped by George Black and Geo. Edworthy tried to lift the Alberta Lumber trophy from its moorings here on Tuesday evening. Rinks skipped by Messrs Murdoch and Jones ably defended the mug with many points to spare, so it's still here for others to shoot at.

The Ladies' Auxiliaries of the United Church at their annual meeting last Thursday afternoon, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. C. H. Purvis; 1st vice-president, Mrs. H. B. Collier; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. H. M. Hilliker; secretary, Mrs. W. McAtthey; correspondence secretary, Mrs. K. Hilliker; treasurer, Mrs. H. G. Thunell; convener mite boxes, Mrs. McLaren.

Collier Bros. have a bargain in Melotte Cream Separator of the new LOW TYPE, "Suspended Bowl." There is no equal for efficiency and long life. Some old models are still going good after 20 years. This new style machine with all its advantages is offered for quick sale at a reduction of \$50.00. It is easy to operate and easy to clean. It gets all the cream, soon paying for itself.

We understand that Div. 3 in Iron Creek municipal district are voting on a herd by-law in the near future. Complaints that cattle and horses are allowed to run on the road allowances have been voiced. It is a recognized fact that stock left to run at large on highways constitutes a menace to traffic and also apt to break into adjoining fields causing a general nuisance. Most districts have herd by-laws now that farms are mostly all fenced and a herd by-law is not only a protection to motor traffic but to the owners of the stock as well.

KINSELLA KERNELS

Kinsella, Jan. 15.—Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Williams entertained Mr. and Mrs. Nease and Mr. Meade to dinner on Sunday evening.

Mr. P. J. Wangelens is spending a month in the States.

The first ladies aid meeting for this year was held at the home of Mrs. J. Allen on Thursday last.

Mr. Harry Slusarchuk has moved his family to Edmonton.

A whist drive and dance will be held in Lees' hall on Friday evening, January 19th. Proceeds for the benefit of the skating rink.

A congregational meeting was held in the church on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Bert Cormack was operated on in the Viking hospital last week for appendicitis. Her many friends are glad to know she is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ferries and daughter were entertained to dinner on Sunday evening at the home of Mrs. M. Garvie.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Eaton spent Sunday at Irma at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Leavitt.

Messrs. W. Brown and Miller, of Viking, were in town on Monday.

Among those who attended the hockey game at Viking on Saturday evening from here were Mr. and Mrs. Nease, Mr. Lloyd Cameron, Miss T. Miller, Miss Kathleen Ferries, Mr. W. Bevil and Mr. A. A. Wadden.

Mr. O. Berg spent Sunday with his family at Viking.

Hold Everything—

Fifty years ago women wore hoop skirts, bustles, petticoats, corsets, cotton stockings, high button shoes, ruffled cotton drawers, flannel night gowns, puffs in their hair. They did their own cooking, baking, cleaning, washing, ironing, raised big families, went to church on Sunday, and were too busy to be sick.

Men wore whiskers, square hats, ascot ties, red flannel underwear, big watch-and-chain, chopped wood for stoves, bathed once a week, drank 10 cent whiskey and 5 cent beer, rode bicycles, buggies and sleighs, went in for politics, worked twelve hours a day, and lived to a ripe old age.

Stores burned oil lamps, carried everything from an needle to a plow, trusted everybody, never took an inventory, placed orders for goods a year in advance, always made money.

Today women wear silk stockings, low shoes, an ounce of underwear, have bobbed hair, smoke, paint and powder, drink cocktails, play bridge, drive cars, have pet dogs, and go in for politics.

Men have high blood pressure, wear no hats (and some no hair), shave their whiskers, shoot golf, bathe twice a day, drink poison, play the stock market, ride in airplanes, never go to bed the same day they get up, are misunderstood at home, work five hours a day, play ten, and die young.

Stores have electric lights, cash registers, trust nobody, take inventories, have overhead, markup, mark down, quota, budget stock control, annual and semi-annual, end-of-month, dollar-day, founders-day, rummage-economy-day sales, and never make money.—Author unknown.

Why People Attend Church—

Much is made of the few who attend church. The wonder, however, is that so many attend church Sunday after Sunday, and year after year. Great multitudes are found in the house of worship. Why do they continue to go? The editor of the North Carolina Christian Advocate replies to this question. "Most assuredly the people do not go and continue to go to church for amusement or for the spectacular. A playhouse can furnish better acting and a moving picture show more of the spectacular than the supreme sensationalists in the pulpit can do. In its deeper longings, the core of a man's being cries out for the satisfaction born from above. Hence the church should be more than an auditorium and the pulpit far more than a platform. The minister should speak with authority and with assurance known to no earthly potentate. Why should a preacher step down even to pick up a monarch's crown? The people should know that when they go to the house of God they are to receive a message from God by a man of God and then they will go away feeling that they have been in the presence of God.—The Watchman Examiner.

"Why do you women always give away secrets?" asked a student of human nature at a social here. "We don't," the women replied, "we merely exchange them."

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Health Service

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Nothing Serious

The lives of thousands of Canadian children have been lost because parents have thought that measles is "nothing serious," and that "it is better to have it and be done with it."

We all know that practically every one has measles sometime during his life. The disease is very common and, as obviously nearly everyone has had it, it is apt to be looked upon more as nuisance than anything else.

A small percentage of all who contract measles do not recover. However, the number of cases is so great that hundreds of deaths in Canada, each year, from measles are represented by this small percentage.

Measles is always serious cause of the number of deaths which occur, and because it causes permanent damage to the bodies of some of those who recover. The younger the child, the more likely it is that the disease will prove fatal.

When recovering from measles, the body is less able to withstand the attack of germs of other diseases. The result of this lack of resistance is that pneumonia often develops during convalescence, and is not infrequently followed by tuberculosis.

There are certain practical applications of this knowledge which all parents should understand. The first is that every effort should be made to keep the young child away from existing cases of measles.

A child should never come in contact with other children who have measles or who are suspected of having the disease. Nine-tenths of all deaths from measles occur during the first five years of life. After five years of age,

the child is much less likely to suffer a severe attack. Parents will accomplish a great deal in safeguarding the lives of their children when they succeed in protecting them from measles during their first five years of life.

The second point of importance is that the child who has measles requires good care. He must be kept in bed, no matter how well he may seem to be, until the doctor allows him to get up. Getting up too soon is the usual way in which the child catches cold; then pneumonia may follow.

The child who has measles is suffering from an acute infection. It is a serious condition for the child and should be treated as such. He should be isolated so that he will not spread the disease, and he himself should be under medical care. The attack itself may appear to be mild, but unless proper care is given, the results may be serious. No one can tell, so the only safe way is to give proper care to every case.

If your young child has been exposed to measles, ask your doctor at once about protecting him through the use of convalescent serum or adult whole blood.

Questions concerning health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College Street, Toronto.

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